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Via Facsimile

Alexandra Doumas, Esq. Office of General Counsel Federal Election Commission 999 E Street, N.W. Washington, D.C. 20463

> Re: MUR 5453

Dear Ms. Doumas:

I represent Greg Bedula and William Wittman in connection with the abovereferenced matter. In response to the letters from the Commission dated January 28, 2005, I am writing to request an extension of time until February 28, 2005, to submit responses on behalf of my clients. The basis for this request is that I was recently retained as counsel and need additional time to investigate the matter so that an informed response can be submitted on behalf of my clients.

Thank you in advance for your attention to this request. If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to call me.

> Sincerely yours, and a Partie

Alfred U. Pavlis